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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN DIVISION

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Plaintiffs,	
Y.	

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO; and DOES 1-10, Inclusive,

Defendant.

Case No. 5:22-CV-01291 SSS (SHKx)

[Honorable Sunshine Suzanne Sykes, Magistrate Judge, Shashi H. Kewalramani]

STATEMENT OF UNCONTROVERTED FACTS IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

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- 1. Notice of Motion and Motion;
- 2. Declaration of Kayleigh Andersen;3. Declaration of Sergeant Gaytan;
- 4. Declaration of Corporal McCarthy;
- 5. Declaration of Corporal McCart
  6. Declaration of Corporal Pollick
  7. Declaration of Deputy Moore
  8. Declaration of Deputy Stone;

- 9. Declaration of Sergeant Scalise;

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# TO THIS HONORABLE COURT AND THE PARTIES AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COUNSEL OF RECORD:

In accordance with C.D L.R. 56-1 and this Court's Standing Order, defendants COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO ("County"); CORY MCCARTHY ("Corporal McCarthy"), ANDREW POLLICK ("Corporal Pollick"); DAVID MOORE ("Deputy Moore"), and CRISTINA OLIVAS ("Corporal Olivas") ("Defendant Deputies" and collectively "Defendants") submit this Statement of Uncontroverted Facts and Genuine Disputed in support of their Motion for Summary Judgment.

	<b>Uncontroverted Facts</b>	Supporting Evidence
1.	On Sunday, August 29, 2021, at approximately 1726 hours, San Bernardino County Sheriffs' Dispatch received a 911 call for service at 16576 Zenda Street #1, Victorville.	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pg. 1.
2.	The reporting party, Helen Fregoso, reported her daughter's friend, Albert Perez ("Perez"), was in the garage, causing a disturbance, and that he had a gun in his front right pocket.	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pg. 1; Fregoso Depo. (Ex. "B") at 32:5-17, 22-25, 33:1-3.
3.	Helen Fregoso's daughter, Renee Caudillo, advised Sheriffs Dispatch that Perez told her that she was causing him problems and thought people were after him, and that he pulled out a black gun from his pocket.	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pg. 1.
	Deputy Steven Carter was the first to arrive at the incident location, and located Perez in the garage and observed a black gun in Perez' hand.	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pg. 2.
٥.	Deputy Steven Carter ordered Perez to drop the gun, but Perez did not comply.	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pg. 2.

6	Perez remained in the garage with the	Call Log History (Ex. "A") at pgs. 2, 3,
	gun in his hand and refusing	4
	commands from deputies to drop the	
	gun.	
7.	At approximately 1900 hours,	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 2; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	Sergeant Luke Gaytan ("Sergeant	2; Olivas Decl., ¶ 2; Pollick Decl., ¶ 2;
	Gaytan") requested via text message	Moore Decl., ¶ 2; Stone Decl., ¶ 2;
	that all members of the San	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 9:4-10.
	Bernardino County Sheriff's	24:1-6.
	Department Specialized Enforcement	
	Division Team 1 ("SED Team")	
	respond to Zenda Street in Victorville	
	for a barricade situation where the	
	subject had threatened a female with	
	a firearm, and the subject was still	
	armed and barricaded in the garage of	
	a multi-unit complex where he did	
	not live.	
8	Sergeant Gaytan also notified the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 3; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	SED Team that a crisis negotiator,	3; Olivas Decl., ¶ 3; Pollick Decl., ¶ 3;
	Negotiator Anthony Alcala, was also	Moore Decl., ¶ 3; Stone Decl., ¶ 3.
	responding to the incident location.	
9.	<i>C</i> ,	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 4; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	the SED Team, which included	4; Olivas Decl., ¶ 4; Pollick Decl., ¶ 4;
	Sergeant Gaytan, Corporal Andrew	Moore Decl., ¶ 4; Stone Decl., ¶ 4;
	Pollick, Deputy Josh Stone, Deputy	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 5:25-6:4;
	David Moore, Corporal Cristina	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 22:6-13.
	Olivas, Corporal Cory McCarthy, and	
	Corporal Greg Gary, meet at the	
	Victorville Library just west of the	
	incident location for a briefing prior	
	to arriving at the subject location.	
10	O.During this briefing, the SED Team	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 5; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	learned that patrol deputies from the	5; Olivas Decl., ¶ 5; Pollick Decl., ¶5;
	Victorville Sheriff's Station were	Moore Decl., ¶ 5; Stone Decl., ¶ 5;
	negotiating with the suspect, Perez,	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 23:5-13;
	who was seated on a stool at the rear	Perez Photos (Ex. "K").

of the garage behind a pool table and	
was in possession of a gun.	
11. The SED Team also learned that the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 6; McCarthy Decl., ¶
door from the garage to the home had	6; Olivas Decl., ¶ 6; Pollick Decl., ¶ 6;
been locked by the homeowner, and	Moore Decl., ¶ 6; Stone Decl., ¶ 6.
that both sides of the garage were	
contained by patrol units and they	
were trying to de-escalate the	
situation by attempting to convince	
him to surrender peacefully, but he	
refused to put the gun down.	
12.During this briefing, the SED Team	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 7; McCarthy Decl., ¶
also developed an operational plan,	7; Olivas Decl., ¶ 7; Pollick Decl., ¶ 7;
which included medical plans, gas	Moore Decl., ¶ 7; Stone Decl., ¶ 7;
plans, and less lethal plans, before	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at Pollick
going to the incident location.	Depo. (Ex. "C") at 5:25-6:4, 22-24.
13.The SED Team's medical plan	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 8; McCarthy Decl., ¶
included requesting Victorville Fire	8; Olivas Decl., ¶ 8; Pollick Decl., ¶ 8;
Department, American Medical	Moore Decl., ¶ 8; Stone Decl., ¶ 8;
Response, and air rescue, the	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 26:14-
sheriff's helicopter, to be on standby	24.
in the event that there was a medical	
emergency, the BearCat and Corporal	
Olivas' vehicle were also set up as	
medical extract vehicles.	
14. The SED Team's gas plans included	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 9; McCarthy Decl., ¶
Corporal Pollick and Deputy Moore	9; Olivas Decl., ¶ 9; Pollick Decl., ¶ 9;
having chemical agents should the	Moore Decl., ¶ 9; Stone Decl., ¶ 9;
need and opportunity to use them	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 7:8-12.
arise, and Corporal Pollick developed	
a chemical agent plan for the house.	
The SED Team developed numerous	
less lethal plans to be used at the	
appropriate point if the opportunity	
presented itself.	
15. The SED Team's operational plan	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 10; McCarthy Decl., ¶
included containing both sides of the	10; Olivas Decl., ¶ 10; Pollick Decl., ¶

garage, with Corporal McCarthy,	10; Moore Decl., ¶ 10; Stone Decl., ¶
Corporal Olivas and Deputy Stone to	10.
be positioned on the southeast corner	
of the garage, with Corporal Olivas	
with a shield and her pistol, Corporal	
McCarthy behind Corporal Olivas	
with lethal cover, and Deputy Stone	
with a less lethal 40 mm multi-	
launcher. On the other side, Deputy	
Moore, Corporal Pollick, and	
Sergeant Gaytan were to be	
positioned on the southwest corner of	
the garage, with Deputy Moore with	
a shield and his pistol, Corporal	
Pollick behind Deputy Moore with	
lethal cover, and Sergeant Gaytan	
with a less lethal 40 mm single-	
launcher.	
16.Additionally, the SED Team was	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 11; McCarthy Decl., ¶
going to position the BearCat, which	11; Olivas Decl., ¶ 11; Pollick Decl., ¶
is an armored rescue vehicle, in the	11; Moore Decl., ¶ 11; Stone Decl., ¶
driveway and face it towards the	11; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 26:3-
garage to light up the garage because	7; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 19:10-18.
it was dark outside.	
17. Sergeant Gaytan made it clear to the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 12; McCarthy Decl., ¶
SED Team that if the suspect was to	12; Olivas Decl., ¶ 12; Pollick Decl., ¶
separate himself from the firearm, the	12; Moore Decl., ¶ 12; Stone Decl., ¶
team could not allow him to gain	12; Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 6:25-
access back to that firearm because	7:7; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at
we did not want him to be able to	45:19-46:2, 76:2-8; Moore Depo. (Ex.
shoot at us or any members of the	"E") at 29:15-30:1; Olivas Depo. (Ex.
public.	"F") at 20:18-21:2; Stone Depo. (Ex.
	"G") at 28:19-29:8.
18.Additionally, during the briefing, the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 13; McCarthy Decl., ¶
SED Team learned that there was a	13; Olivas Decl., ¶ 13; Moore Decl., ¶
family who stayed in their home in	13; Stone Decl., ¶ 13.

the northwest corner of the multi-unit

1	complex.	
2	19. The SED Team made contact with	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 13; McCarthy Decl., ¶
3	the family, and the family decided to	13; Olivas Decl., ¶ 13; Pollick Decl., ¶
3	stay in the home as there was an	13; Moore Decl., ¶ 13; Stone Decl., ¶
4	elderly female at the home who was	13.
5	not easily mobile, and the SED Team	
6	advised the family to shelter in place.	
	20.The SED Team arrived to the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 14; McCarthy Decl., ¶
7	incident location with the BearCat	15; Olivas Decl., ¶ 15; Pollick Decl., ¶
8	and met with the patrol sergeant to	15; Moore Decl., ¶ 15; Stone Decl.,
9	gain additional information.	¶14.
	21. The SED Team learned that Perez	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 14; McCarthy Decl., ¶
10	was kind of nodding off, he was kind	15; Olivas Decl., ¶ 15; Pollick Decl., ¶
11	of lucid, and that it was unclear if he	15; Moore Decl., ¶ 15; Stone Decl., ¶
12	was under the influence of any	14.
13	narcotics or alcohol.	Contan Deal #15 McContan Deal #
	22. Due to the patrol deputies being	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 15; McCarthy Decl., ¶
14	fatigued after hours of attempted	16; Olivas Decl., ¶ 16; Pollick Decl., ¶
15	negotiations and attempts to gain compliance from Perez, the SED	16; Moore Decl., ¶ 16; Stone Decl., ¶ 15.
16	Team took over and took their	13.
	assigned positions on the corners of	
17	the garage as was discussed in	
18	briefing.	
19	23.Perez remained seated directly	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 26:25-
20	behind the pool table, approximately	27:3, 28:3-7, 30:6-14; Moore Depo.
	16 feet away from the garage	(Ex. "E") at 10:21-23, 22:11-14, 18-19,
21	opening, with the gun in his right	23-24; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
22	hand, and looking back and forth	10:20-11:6: Alcala Depo. (Ex. "H") at
23	between the members of the SED	25:6-19; Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at
24	team on each side of the garage.	11:22-25; Perez Photos (Ex. "K");
		Garage Photos (Ex. "L").
25	24.Before the lethal force encounter,	McCarthy Decl., ¶ 16.
26	Corporal McCarthy changed	
27	positions from the side of the garage	
	to the BearCat in the driveway so that	
28	he could have a different vantage	

1	point to see Perez in the garage.	
2	25. During the incident, Negotiator	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 16; McCarthy Decl., ¶
3	Alcala was the assigned crisis	17; Olivas Decl., ¶ 17; Pollick Decl., ¶
	negotiator and attempted numerous	17; Moore Decl., ¶ 17; Stone Decl., ¶
4	times to negotiate with Perez and	16; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 27:9-
5	gain his compliance.	22, 28:8-14; Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at
6		17:12-15; Incident Audio (Ex. "J").
	26.During the negotiation, Negotiator	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 12:9-14,
7	Alcala was able to convince Perez to	18:19-19:1; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D")
8	put the gun down. Perez put the gun	at 39:3-13, 67:8-12; Moore Depo. (Ex.
9	by the stool behind the pool table,	"E") at 11:3-15, 12:23-25; Olivas
	and the deputies viewed this as an act	Depo. (Ex. "F") at 13:7-14; Stone
10	of compliance.	Depo. (Ex. "G") at 20:22-21:14, 30:22-
11		24, 48:10-15; Alcala Depo. (Ex. "H")
12		at 32:24-33:9, 34:13-35:11; Incident
		Audio (Ex. "J") at 25:00-27:00.
13	27. Then, Negotiator Alcala encouraged	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 13:2-6,
14	Perez to stand up and walk towards	19:17-21; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D")
15	the deputies, Perez complied and	at 41:13-14, 67:13-16; Olivas Depo.
	walked toward the front of the	(Ex. "F") at 13:15-20, 14:5-13; Moore
16	garage.	Depo. 10:11-13, 11:24-12:10; Stone
17		Depo. (Ex. "G") at 21:18-21, 25, 22:1-
18		5, 48:10-23; Alcala Depo. (Ex. "H") at
19		35:12-20, 41:6-15; Incident Audio (Ex.
	29 As Daroz started to mayo towards the	"J") at 27:00-28:00.
20	28. As Perez started to move towards the	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 16; McCarthy Decl., ¶ 17; Olivas Decl., ¶ 17; Pollick Decl., ¶
21	front of the garage, where the SED Team was waiting, Sergeant Gaytan	17; Moore Decl., ¶ 17; Stone Decl., ¶
22	instructed Perez to stop so that the	16; Stone Depo. (Ex. "G") at 22:6-8,
	SED Team could safely take Perez	18-21, 26:19-21, 48:16-18; Alcala
23	into custody.	Depo. (Ex. "H") at 41:11-17, 47:20-24;
24	into custouy.	Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at 20:20-24;
25		Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at 28:00-
26		31:50.
	29.Sergeant Gaytan communicated to	Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 21:22-22:1,
27	Perez that the deputies were going to	41:10-16; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
28	have to take him into custody, which	19:24-20:7, 49:3-25; Stone Depo. (Ex.
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1	appeared to the deputies to frustrate	"G") at 48:16-18; Gaytan Depo. (Ex.
2	Perez, and lead the deputies to	"I") at 40:5-13, 23-25, 41:1-19;
3	believe that Perez was no longer	Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at 28:00-
	cooperating.	31:50.
4	30. For a few minutes, while Sergeant	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 13:7-19;
5	Gaytan continued to talk to Perez to	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 47:1-12,
6	have him peacefully surrender, Perez	53:3-7; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at
7	stood parallel to the middle of the pool table, approximately eight feet	14:18-21, 21:22-22:1, 39:24-25, 40:1, 8-9, 24-25, 41:1-3, 10-16; Stone Depo.
	north of the garage opening and	(Ex. "G") at 31:8-10; Gaytan Depo.
8	approximately eight feet away from	(Ex. "I") at 31:5-14, 40:23-41:19;
9	the gun's location, Perez then put his	Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at 28:00-
10	hands up and shook his head back	31:50; Garage Photos (Ex. "L").
11	and forth, with an irritated and	
	frustrated look, without making eye	
12	contact with anyone.	
13	31.Suddenly, Perez turned slightly east,	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 20:25-21:8,
14	stepping back with his left foot, and	15-25, 22:1; McCarthy Depo. (Ex.
15	pivoting on his right foot.	"D") at 52:19-24, 67:17-19, 70:2-9;
16		Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 36:12-14,
		18-24, 41:10-22; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at 20:3-7; Stone Depo. (Ex. "G")
17		at 27:4-28:4, 46:11-18, 48:19-49:6;
18		Alcala Depo. (Ex. "H") at 48:7-15;
19		Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "1") at 32:18-33:4,
20		40:5-13; Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at
		28:00-31:50.
21	32.As soon as Perez stepped back,	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 20:25-21:8;
22	Deputy Stone deployed a less-lethal	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 52:25-
23	40-millimeter round, as was	53:12, 70:2-9; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E")
24	discussed in the SED Teams planning	at 34:23-35:17, 36:8-14, 41:20-22,
25	briefing, which hit Perez somewhere	54:10-15; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
	between his waist and the top of his shoulders.	21:16-22:9, 50:1-3; Stone Depo. (Ex. "G") at 27:4-28:4, 8-25, 29:1-8, 12-17,
26	SHOUIGEIS.	46:11-18, 48:19-49:6; Gaytan Depo.
27		(Ex. "I") at 28:18-29:9; Incident Audio
28		(Ex. "J") at 31:49-31:57.
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33. Sergeant Gaytan and Deputy Stone each deployed another less-lethal round at Perez, which also appeared to strike Perez at center mass.  However, the less-lethal rounds appeared to be ineffective in gaining Perez' compliance.	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 23:17-25:10; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 56:22-57:3, 67:24-68:2; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 34:23-35:17, 54:10-15; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at 22:10-19; Alcala Depo. (Ex. "H") at 49:17-20; Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at 34:9-18; Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at 31:49-31:57.  Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 23:12-17, 27:23:29 At 20:17, 18:23:25, 41:16:20
that Perez was hit with three (3) less-	27:23-28:4, 30:17-18, 22-25, 41:16-20,
lethal rounds, he accelerated and ran toward where the gun was located at	42:6-11; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 65:19-24, 68:3-11, 24-25, 69:1, 6-10;
the back of the pool table.	Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 35:22-36:3, 41:23-42:1, 54:16-18, 67:15, 19-21; Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at 38:1-23.
35. After the less-lethal rounds had been	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 30:6-18, 22-
deployed and were ineffective in	25, 31:2-12, 55:22-56:1, 20-22;
gaining Perez' compliance, and in	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 59:4-11;
response to Perez accelerating toward	60:14-24; 63:19-22; 65:13-18; Moore
the back of the pool table where the	Depo. (Ex. "E") at 43:1-8, 11-19,
gun was located, Corporal Cory	64:19-25; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
McCarthy, Deputy Olivas, Deputy	24:13-15; Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at
Pollick, and Deputy Moore each fired	31:49-31:57.
lethal rounds, at Perez in order to	
stop the immediate threat they	
perceived from Perez' actions.  36.The deputies fired at Perez as he ran	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 27:2-8,
toward the back of the garage,	28:13-21; 39:16-18, 21-24. 56:20-22;
rounding the corner of the pool table,	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 59:4-11,
dropped his center of gravity as if	60:19-24, 65:13-18, 68:24-69:1, 6-10;
crouching down behind the pool	Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 43:11-19,
table, within arms' reach of where	44:2-12, 45:3-4, 8-12, 48:4-6, 11-14,
the gun was located on the floor. The	52:7-13; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
deputies reasonably believed that	32:11-13, 22-25, 33:1-3; Stone Depo.
Perez was trying to get to the gun to	(Ex. "G") at 45:22-46:3, 7-18, 50:4-7,
shoot someone.	11-15; Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "I") at 38:1-

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2	37.Based on the totality of the	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 39:16-18,
	circumstances, Perez having the gun	21-24, 40:4-5, 9-13; McCarthy Depo.
3	in his hands for several hours and	(Ex. "D") at 65:13-18; Stone Depo.
4	having every opportunity to surrender	(Ex. "G") at 45:22-46:3; Gaytan Depo.
5	peacefully, the deputies had no	(Ex. "I") at 38:14-23.
	reason to believe that Perez was	
6	running back into the garage for any	
7	other reason than to get back to the	
8	gun.	
9	38.Sergeant Gaytan ordered the deputies	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 44:6-8;
	to stop shooting as it appeared Perez	Gaytan Depo. (Ex. "1") at 45:10-46:21;
10	had fallen to the ground and had	Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at 31:49-
11	stopped moving.	32:10.
12	39. The deputies at the scene retrieved an	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 18; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	SED robot, to confirm that Perez was	19; Olivas Decl., ¶ 19; Pollick Decl., ¶
13	no longer a threat. Once it was	19; Moore Decl., ¶ 19; Stone Decl., ¶
14	confirmed Perez was no longer	18; Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 44:9-13,
15	moving, the SED Team approached	45:4-9, McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at
	and secured to scene.	70:11-12, 16-19; Incident Audio (Ex.
16	40.6	"J") at 32:10-36:00.
17	40.Corporal Pollick and Corporal	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 49:10-21;
18	McCarthy approached Perez and saw	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 71:1-4,
19	that Perez was laying on top of the	8-12; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 82:1-
	gun.	11, 83:13-22; Incident Audio (Ex. "J")
20	11 Deputy Stone says the gun sticking	at 36:00-37:20.
21	41.Deputy Stone saw the gun sticking out from under Perez' stomach where	Stone Decl., ¶ 18; Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 49:10-21; McCarthy Depo.
22	his hands were also located, and	(Ex. "D") at 70:16-19, 71:1-4; Moore
	kicked it away from him so that	Depo. (Ex. "E") at 81:14-25, Olivas
23	Corporal Pollick and Corporal	Depo. (Ex. "F") at 52:14-18; Incident
24	McCarthy could start to provide	Audio (Ex. "J") at 36:00-37:20.
25	medical aid.	11adio (E.A. 5 ) at 30.00 37.20.
26	42.Corporal Pollick and Corporal	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 18; McCarthy Decl., ¶
	McCarthy, who are certified EMTs,	19; Olivas Decl., ¶ 19; Pollick Decl., ¶
27	provided immediate medical aid to	19; Moore Decl., ¶ 19; Stone Decl., ¶
28	Perez, who was still breathing when	18; Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 45:10-
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1	they approached him.	14, 46:3-14, 17-20, 47:8-20; McCarthy
2		Depo. (Ex. "D") at 70:22-24, 71:3-4,
3		17-22; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
		57:12-17; Incident Audio (Ex. "J") at
4		37:20-39:30.
5	43. Victorville Fire Department and	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 46:21-47:4;
6	American Medical Response were	McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 74:18-
	staged in the area, and responded and	21, 75:1-17; Olivas Depo. (Ex. "F") at
7	provided medical treatment	57:12-23.
8	immediately after the scene was secured.	
9	44.Perez was transported to Victor	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 46:15-16.
10	Valley Global Medical Center for	1 onick Depo. (Ex. C) at 40.13-10.
	treatment.	
11	45. The deputies on the scene were not	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 26:9-16,
12	able to give commands to Perez	33:18-23; Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at
13	before to lethal force encounter	51:6-10
14	occurred as the situation was very	
	dynamic, uncertain, and rapidly-	
15	evolving.	
16	46.San Bernardino County Sheriff's	Pollick Depo. (Ex. "C") at 56:13-19;
17	Department Policy 3.608, The Use of	Moore Depo. (Ex. "E") at 65:17-18,
18	Lethal Force, states that a deputy	22-24, 66:7-10, 14-18; Olivas Depo.
	may use deadly force to protect	(Ex. "F") at 58:11-14; Use of Force
19	himself or others from what he	Policy (Ex. M").
20	reasonably believes to be a threat of	
21	death or serious bodily injury.	Cavitan Daal ¶ 17: McCanthy Daal ¶
22	47.Since the Sheriff's academy, Corporal McCarthy, Deputy Olivas, Deputy	Gaytan Decl., ¶ 17; McCarthy Decl., ¶ 18; Olivas Decl., ¶ 18; Pollick Decl., ¶
	Pollick, Deputy Moore, Deputy	18; Moore Decl., ¶ 18; Stone Decl., ¶
23	Stone, and Sergeant Gaytan have	17; McCarthy Depo. (Ex. "D") at 13:6-
24	been trained in accordance with San	16, 19:1-8; Use of Force Policy (Ex.
25	Bernardino County Sheriff's	M").
26	Department Policy 3.608, The Use of	,
	Lethal Force, that the use of lethal	
27	force is justified to protect	
28	themselves or others from what they	
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reasonably believe to be an
immediate threat of death or serious
bodily injury.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' first cause of action for excessive force under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 because under the uncontroverted facts, Defendant Deputies' use of force was objectively reasonable under the totality of the circumstances. Further, there is no evidence that Defendant Deputies violated Perez' clearly established constitutional rights at the time of the incident, which entitles them to qualified immunity.
- 2. Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' second cause of action for denial of medical care under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 because medical care was promptly given and summoned to the scene when it was safe to do so. Further, there is no evidence that Defendant Deputies violated the Perez' clearly established constitutional rights at the time of the incident, which entitles them to qualified immunity.
- 3. Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' third cause of action for due process/ interference with familial relations under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 because there is no evidence that Defendant Deputies acted with deliberate indifference and/or a purpose to harm unrelated to legitimate law enforcement objectives. Further, there is no evidence that Defendant Deputies violated any clearly established constitutional rights at the time of the incident, which entitles them to qualified immunity.
- 4. Defendant County of San Bernardino is entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' fourth cause of action for *Monell* Liability inadequate training under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 because Defendant Deputies used only objectively reasonable force under the totality of the circumstances. Further, there is no evidence that the County

failed to train its deputies.

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- 5. Defendant County of San Bernardino is entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' fifth cause of action for Monell Liability - unconstitutional custom, practice, and policy under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 because Defendant Deputies used only objectively reasonable force under the totality of the circumstances. Further, there is no evidence that the County had an unlawful custom, practice or policy.
- 6. Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' sixth cause of action for battery and plaintiffs' seventh cause of action for negligence because Defendant Deputies used only objectively reasonable force under the totality of the circumstances. For the same reasons no constitutional violations occurred, no violations of California law were committed.
- Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' eighth cause 7. of action for violation of the Bane Act because there is no evidence that Defendant Deputies acted with the specific intent to violate the Perez' right to be free from an unreasonable seizure.
- 8. Defendant County of San Bernardino is entitled to judgment for each of plaintiffs' state law claims, as Defendant Deputies are not liable and there is no basis for respondent superior liability against the County. Cal. Gov. Code § 815.2(a).
- 9. Defendant Deputies are entitled to judgment on plaintiffs' claim for punitive damages because there is no evidence that he acted with malice, oppression, or reckless disregard for the Perez' rights during the incident.

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